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25X1 6. [ ] Met with Mr. James Gehrig, Counsel, Senate Aeronautical and Space Sciences Committee, for further discussion of the information provided the Committee regarding Soviet space failures outlined in a letter published by the Palo Alto Times, California, and placed in the Congressional Record by Senator Dodd. Mr. Gehrig was most appreciative of Agency assistance.

25X1 7. [ ] Received an additional call from Miss Janet Akerhielm, Assistant to Senator Magnuson, concerning the Senator's response to a query relating to CIA activities. Miss Akerhielm wanted to be sure that the language used was in keeping with our previous discussion. See Journal item of 25 August. I thanked Miss Akerhielm for her courtesy in calling.

25X1 8. [ ] Met briefly with Senator Leverett Saltonstall (R., Mass.) and then for a longer period with William Saltonstall to discuss the Senator's letter to the Director requesting information on the publication Intelligence Digest and an article in it entitled, "The Military Situation in Cuba." I left with them a paper prepared by OCI on the subject which covered most of the points in this article. Other points were covered verbally.

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25X1 [ ] They were most pleased to have this information.

25X1 9. [ ] Chatted with William Darden, Senate Armed Services Committee staff, alerting him to our legislative proposal pertaining to consultant pay and offered to leave a copy of our letter to the Senate with him. Darden said this would not be necessary but suggested that we have our use of such people well documented when the matter comes up before the Committee.